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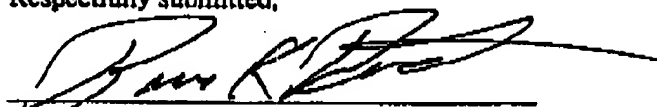
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**SUMMARY OF TELEPHONIC INTERVIEW  
WITH EXAMINER'S AMENDMENTS**

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Sir:

In response to Applicant's response to the final Office Action transmitted via facsimile on September 4, 2004 (Office Action), the Examiner conducted a telephone interview with Applicant's representative earlier this day, October 21, 2004. In response to said telephone interview, the Applicant and Examiner have mutually agreed to amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this submission.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this submission.

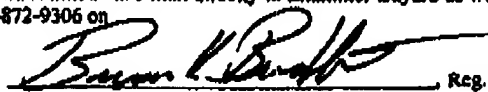
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